# ATTACHMENT A

## Standard Questions for Applicants Seeking Local Exchange Service Authority

- Is your company seeking any waivers or variances of certain Commission rules and regulations in this
  proceeding that pertain to local exchange service? Please provide evidence as to why your company is seeking
  any waiver or variance.
- 2. Will your company comply with 83 Illinois Administrative Code Part 772, Pay-Per-Call Services, including Part 772.55(a)(1), Billing and Part 772.100(d) Notices?
- 3. Will your company comply with 83 Illinois Administrative Code Part 705, Preservation of Records of Telephone Utilities?
- 4. Will your company abide by 83 Illinois Administrative Code Part 735, "Procedures Governing the Establishment of Credit, Billing, Deposits, Termination of Service and Issuance of Telephone Directories for Telephone Utilities in the State of Illinois"?
- 5. Will your company abide by 83 Illinois Administrative Code Part 732, "Customer Credits"?
- 6. Who will provide customer repair service for your company?
- 7. How many people does the company employ?
- 8. Will your company meet the requirements as they pertain to the Telephone Assistance Programs imposed by Sections 13.301 and 13.301.1 of the Illinois Public Utilities Act and 83 Illinois Administrative Code Part 757?
- 9. Will your company solicit, collect, and remit the voluntary contributions from its telephone subscribers to support the Telephone Assistance Programs?
- 10. Does your company plan on filing to become an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier?
- 11. Does the company realize that it will not be able to receive any of the federal reimbursements for the Lifeline and Link Up Programs if it is not an eligible carrier?
- 12. Will your company offer all of the waivers associated with the Universal Telephone Service Assistance Programs (UTSAP)?
- 13. Will your company abide by the regulations as prescribed in 83 Illinois Administrative Code Part 755, "Telecommunications Access for Persons with Disabilities," 83 Illinois Administrative Code Part 756 "Telecommunications Relay Service," and Sections 13-703 of the Illinois Public Utilities Act?
- 14. Will the company's billing system be able to distinguish between resale and facilities based service for the collection of the ITAC line charge?
- 15. Has your company signed and return the Universal Telephone Assistance Corporation ("UTAC") and the Illinois Telecommunications Access Corporation ("ITAC") to Commission staff?
- 16. How does your company plan to solicit customers once it begins to provide local service?
- 17. Has your company provided service under any other name?
- 18. Have any complaints or judgements been levied against the company? (Instate, out-of-state, or FCC).

# 9-1-1 Questions for Applicants Seeking Local Exchange Service Authority

- 1. Will your company ensure that 911 traffic is handled in accordance with the 83 Illinois Administrative Code Part 725 and the Emergency Telephone System Act?
- 2. Will your company contact and establish a working relationship with the 911 systems when you begin to provide local telephone service?
- 3. Will your company coordinate with the incumbent LEC(s) and local 911 systems to provide transparent service for your local exchange customers?
- 4. Who will be responsible for building and maintaining the 911 database for your local exchange customers?
- 5. How often will your company update the 911 database with customer information?
- 6. Will your company's billing system have the ability to distinguish between facilities based and resale for the collection of the 911 surcharge?
- 7. Does your company have procedures for the transitioning of the 911 surcharge collection and disbursement to the local 911 system?
- 8. Will your company's proposal require any network changes to any of the 911 systems?
- 9. Will your company be able to meet the requirements specified under Part 725.500(o) and 725.620(b) for the installation of call boxes?
- 10. Does your company plan to file for a waiver of Part 725.500(o) and 725.620(b) in the future?

## Financial Questions for Applicants Seeking Local Exchange Service Authority

- 1. (Answer if requesting waiver of Part 710) What circumstances warrant a departure from the prescribed Uniform System of Accounts ("USOA")?
- 2. Will records be maintained in accordance with Generally Accepted Accounting Principles ("GAAP")?
- 3. Will applicants accounting system provide an equivalent portrayal of operating results and financial condition as the USOA?
- 4. Will applicants accounting procedures maintain or improve uniformity in substantive results as among similar telecommunications companies?
- 5. Will applicant maintain its records in sufficient detail to facilitate the calculation of all applicable taxes?
- 6. Does the accounting system currently in use by applicant provide sufficiently detailed data for the preparation of Illinois Gross Receipts Tax returns? What specific accounts or sub-accounts provide this data?
- 7. If a waiver of Part 710 is granted, will applicant provide annual audited statements or all periods subsequent to granting of the waiver?
- 8. Does applicant agree that the requested waiver of Part 710 will not excuse it from compliance with future Commission rules or amendments to Part 710 otherwise applicable to the Company?
- 9. Please attached a copy of applicant's chart of accounts.

# Prepaid Service Questions for Applicants Seeking Local Exchange Service Authority

- 1. Will customers have the ability to sign up with any long distance company they choose?
- 2. Will customers have the ability to use dial around long distance companies?
- 3. Does the applicant have interexchange authority in Illinois? If yes, please provide the docket number.
- 4. Will customers have access to the Illinois Relay Service?
- 5. Will customers be able to make 1-800 calls for free?
- 6. Will the Company offer operator services?
- 7. Please describe how applicant plans to collect the monthly fee to be paid in advance.
- 8. Will customers' monthly bills show a breakdown of services, features, surcharges, taxes, etc.?
- 9. Will customers pay an installation fee? If yes, will payment arrangements be offered for the installation fee?
- 10. Will telephone service be in the Company's name or the customer's name. If in the Company's name how will information appear in data bases, such as 9-1-1, directory assistance, etc.?
- 11. Will applicant offer prepaid service as a monthly service or as a usage service?
- 12. Will applicant provide a warning when the remaining value of service is about to cease?
- 13. Is the customer given more than one notice of the remaining value of service?
- 14. How much advance notice is given to the customer of the remaining value of service?
- 15. If the customer is in the middle of a call will they be disconnected when the remaining value of service has expired?
- 16. Has the customer been made aware of potentially being disconnected during a call when the remaining value of service expires?
- 17. When does the timing of a call start?
- 18. If the person called does not answer, is any time deducted from the customer's account?
- 19. Will there be any other instances in which the Company would disconnect a customer, other than running out of prepaid time?
- 20. When a customer runs out of time is their phone immediately disconnected or on suspension? (Will they still be able to receive calls?)
- 21. Are applicant's services available to TTY callers?
- 22. How will the applicant handle a complaint from a customer who disputes the amount of time used or remaining?
- 23. The Public Utilities Act requires a local calling area that has no time or duration charges. How will the Company define each customer's untimed local calling area?



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**JANUARY 19, 2007** 

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ILLINOIS CORPORATION SERVICE C 801 ADLAI STEVENSON DRIVE SPRINGFIELD, IL 62703-4261

RE DENALI SPECTRUM OPERATIONS, LLC

# DEAR SIR OR MADAM:

IT IS OUR PLEASURE TO APPROVE YOUR REQUEST TO TRANSACT BUSINESS IN THE STATE OF ILLINOIS. ENCLOSED PLEASE FIND AN APPROVED APPLICATION OF ADMISSION.

THE LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY MUST FILE AN ANNUAL REPORT PRIOR TO THE FIRST DAY OF ITS ANNIVERSARY MONTH (MONTH OF QUALIFICATION) NEXT YEAR. A PRE-PRINTED ANNUAL REPORT FORM WILL BE SENT TO THE REGISTERED AGENT AT THE ADDRESS SHOWN ON THE RECORDS OF THIS OFFICE APPROXIMATELY 60 DAYS PRIOR TO ITS ANNIVERSARY MONTH.

SINCERELY YOURS,

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JESSE WHITE SECRETARY OF STATE

DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS SERVICES LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY DIVISION TELEPHONE (217)524-8008

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# Form LLC-45.5 December 2004 Secretary of State Jesse White Department of Business Services Limited Liability Division Room 351 Howlett Building 601 S. Second St. Springfield, IL 62756

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# Illinois Limited Liability Company Act

Application for Admission to Transact Business

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1.	Limited Liability Cor	npany name: Do	enali Spectrum Operations, LLC			
			Must comply with Section 1-10	of ILLOA or item 2 below	applies.	
2.	Assumed name, oth	er than the true con	npany name, under which the comp	eany proposes to tran	sact business in Illinois	
	if applicable, fo	rm LLC-1.20, Applicati	on to Adopt an Assumed Name, must be	completed and allached	to this application.	
3.	Jurisdiction of organ	ization: Delaware				
4.	Date of organization	: November 17	7, 2006			
5.	Period of duration:_	Perpetual				
6.	Address, including county, of the office required to be maintained in the jurisdiction of its organization or, if not required of the principal place of business (P.O. Box alone or c/o is unacceptable):					
	1 Doyon Place, Suite 300					
	Number		Street	Suite #		
	Fairbanks, A	K 99701-2941	North Star			
	City/State.		ZIP Code	Cou	nly	
7.	Registered agent: Illinois Corporation Service Company					
		First Name	Middle Name	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	Last Name	
	Registered office: 801 Adlai Stevenson Drive					
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	c/o is unacceptable.	) Springfield, IL	Sangamon	Illinois	62703	
		City	County		ZIP Code	
8.	If applicable, date on	which the company	y first did business in Illinois;ur	oon filing		
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# LLC-45.5

	Business Code # from IRS Form 1065.)					
	Telecommunications related services					
	The Limited Liability Company:					
	☑ is managed by a manager or managers					
	a has management vested in the member or members					
•	The Illinois Secretary of State is, hereby, appointed the agent of the Limited Liability Company for service of process under the circumstances set forth in subsection (b) of Section 1-50 of the Illinois Limited Liability Company Act.					
	This application is accompanied by a Certificate of Good Standing or Existence, as well as a copy of the Articles of Organization, as amended, duly authenticated within the last 60 days, by the officer of the state or country wherein the LLC is formed.					
	If the period of duration is a date certain and is not stated in the Articles of Organization from the domesti state, a copy of that page from the Operating Agreement stating the date also must be submitted.					
	The undersigned affirms, under penalties of perjury, having authority to sign hereto, that this application for admission to transact business is to the best of my knowledge and belief, true, correct and complete.					
	Dated January / 6 , 2007					
	Dated					
	Jul Stonth Day Year					

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# The First State

I, HARRIET SMITH WINDSOR, SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE, DO HEREBY CERTIFY THE ATTACHED IS A TRUE AND CORRECT COPY OF THE CERTIFICATE OF FORMATION OF "DENALI SPECTRUM"

OPERATIONS, LLC", FILED IN THIS OFFICE ON THE SEVENTEENTH DAY OF NOVEMBER, A.D. 2006, AT 7:05 O'CLOCK P.M.



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Harriet Smith Windsor, Secretary of State

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# **CERTIFICATE OF FORMATION**

# <u>OF</u>

# DENALI SPECTRUM OPERATIONS, LLC

This Certificate of Formation of Denali Spectrum Operations, LLC (the "<u>LLC</u>") has been duly executed and is being filed by the undersigned, as an authorized person, to form a limited liability company under the Delaware Limited Liability Act (6 Del. C. § 18-201, et. seq.).

FIRST. The name of the limited liability company formed hereby is Denali Spectrum Operations, LLC.

SECOND. The address of the registered office of the LLC in the State of Delaware is c/o Corporation Service Company, 2711 Centerville Road, Suite 400, Wilmington, New Castle County, Delaware 19808.

THIRD. The name and address of the registered agent for service of process on the LLC in the State of Delaware is Corporation Service Company, 2711 Centerville Road, Suite 400, Wilmington, New Castle County, Delaware 19808.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has duly executed this Certificate of Formation as of this 17th day of November, 2006.

By: /s/ Henry Rosas

Name: Henry Rosas

Title: Authorized Person